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X A specification consisting of 27 pages

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X Executed Declaration X Original      Photocopy

     Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27

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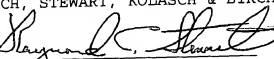
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